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A. C. Lawrence. (Fifield) Hy. Cac. 83. A new shade of flesh-pink, or shell pink. 45c each, 3 for \$1.25	\$4.50	\$35.00
Alexander Waldie. (Broomall 1922) Dec. Creamy ground, overlaid with delicate salmon-pink. 25c each, 3 for 75c	3.00	20.00
Ambassador. (Broomall 1920) Cac. 90. A combination of yellow and pink. First prize San Francisco 1921; sweepstakes Redbank, N. J. 45c each, 3 for \$1.25	4.50	35.00
Bashful Giant. (Marean 1721) Dec. 84. A huge apricot-yellow flower. Deep and massive. 30c each, 3 for 85c	3.00	20.00
Ben Wilson. (Murphy 1921) Dec. 89. Orange-red with gold tips, growing 8 inches across. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00	3.75	30.00
Bertha Story. (Hayden 1920) Dec. 86. A deep rose-pink with occasional flowers showing white petals. Remarkably free bloomer. 20c each, 3 for 50c	2.00	15.00
Bonnie Brae. (Broomall 1920) Dec. 85. Cream, lightly shaded with pink. 20c each, 3 for 50c	2.00	15.00
California Enchantress. (Boston 1916) Hy. Cac. 86. A very delicate light pink. Fine stems. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00	3.75	30.00
Champagne. (Boston 1920) Dec. 89. Golden champagne color. Extra stiff stems. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00	3.75	30.00
Col. Dupont. (Warren) Hy. Dec. A large, shaggy maroon. Very free bloomer. 75c each, 3 for \$2.15	7.50	60.00
Countess of Lonsdale. Cac. Salmon-pink. 15c each, 3 for 40c	1.25	12.00
Dr. Barnes. Peo. Rich turkey red, reverse veined red and yellow. 75c each, 3 for \$2.15	7.50	60.00
Eagle Rock Beauty. (Broomall 1926) Dec. A beautiful combination of pink and cream, of outstanding excellence. \$3.00 each, 3 for \$8.00	30.00	
Elizabeth Slocombe. (Slocombe 1920) Dec. 82. Deep garnet, extra strong grower. 15c each, 3 for 40c	1.50	12.00
Ellinor Vanderveer. (Seal 1924) Dec. 88. A magnificent rose-pink. 50c each, 3 for \$1.35	5.00	40.00
Emperor, The. (Marean 1921) Dec. 87. Deep crimson, almost maroon. 45c each, 3 for \$1.25	4.50	35.00
Elsie Oliver. (Boston 1919) Hy. Cac. 81. A large, creamy pink. 50c each, 3 for \$1.35	5.00	
George Walters. (Carter 1914) Hy. Cac. 85. Salmon-pink with touches of yellow. In steady demand for ten years. 30c each, 3 for 85c	3.00	20.00
Gladys Sherwood. (Broomall 1918) Hy. Cac. 86. A very large, pure white, the winner of many prizes. 50c each, 3 for \$1.35	5.00	
Glory of New Haven. (Slocombe 1920) Dec. 86. Pretty close to a pure lavender. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00	3.25	20.00

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Jersey's Beacon. (Waite) Dec. Chi- nese scarlet with paler reverse, giving two-toned effect. A decid- ed novelty. 75c each, 3 for \$2.15		7.50	
Jersey's Beauty. (Waite 1921) Dec. 91. A real, live pink. Certificates of Merit 1923, 1925, and many prizes. 60c each, 3 for \$1.75	6.00	45.00	
Jersey's Jewell. (Waite 1921) Dec. 88. A very large mallow-pink. Certificated Storrs, Conn., 1923. 75c each, 3 for \$2.15	\$7.50	\$60.00	
John H. Slocombe. (Slocombe 1920) Dec. An intense, deep red with a velvety sheen. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00	3.75	30.00	
Judge Alton B. Parker. (Marean 1920) Dec. 81. A golden buff color on extra fine stems. 30c each, 3 for 85c	3.00	20.00	
Judge Marean. (Marean 1918) Dec. 89. A blending of orange and red, flower perfectly formed. 50c each, 3 for \$1.35	5.00	40.00	
Junior. (Estes-Seal 1922) Dec. An enormous flower of deep lavender. 50c each, 3 for \$1.35	5.00	40.00	
Kalif. (Engelhardt 1912) Hy. Cac. 84. Clear, glowing scarlet. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00	3.25	25.00	
Louise Slocombe. (Slocombe 1921) Hy. Dec. 82. Mauve. A distinct novelty both in coloring and form. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00	3.75		
Margaret Woodrow Wilson. (F. & M.) Dec. 87. White, with pink re- verse showing through, broad pet- al terminating in points. Large, very deep flower. \$2.00 each, 3 for \$5.00	18.00		
Millionaire, The. (Stillman 1915) 82. Lavender-pink and white. One of the most popular. 20c each, 3 for 50c	2.00	15.00	
Mrs. Carl Salbach. (Salbach 1914) Dec. 85. Mallow pink. A flower of perfect formation with a stem that is famous. 20c each, 3 for 50c	2.00	15.00	
Mrs. Estelle Lawton Lindsey. (Broom- all 1920) Hy. Cac. 84. A blend- ing of scarlet and gold, immense flower. 45c each, 3 for \$1.25	4.50	35.00	
Mrs. Ethel F. T. Smith. (Broomall 1920) Hy. Cac. 85. Cream white. 1st prize in Oakland for largest flower in show. 25c each, 3 for 60c	2.25	18.00	
Mrs. I. de Ver Warner. (Marean 1920) Dec. 91. Light rosaline purple or mauve pink. One of the finest dahlias grown. 30c each, 3 for 85c	3.00	20.00	
Mrs. John L. Emerson. (Slocombe) Hy. Dec. 88. A red and yellow nov- elty. Irregular in form. 45c each, 3 for \$1.25	4.50	35.00	
Mr. Crowley. (Broomall 1921) Dec. 85. A salmon-pink on cream. 25c each, 3 for 60c	2.25	18.00	
Oberon. (Boston 1921) Hy. Cac. 86. Deep old rose, violet suffusion, 45c each, 3 for \$1.25	4.50	35.00	
Our Country. (Stillman 1922) Dec. 85. Purple with a white tip. One of Mr. Stillman's finest. 75c each, 3 for \$2.15	7.50	60.00	

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Paul Michael. (Dr. Michael 1919)	Dec. 86.	3.25	25.00
Deep golden yellow or apricot. Three prizes for largest flower. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00			
Radio. (Sampson 1923)	Dec. 89.	5.00	40.00
One of the best red and yellows and largest. 50c each, 3 for \$1.35			
Regina Coeli. (Davis 1920)	Dec. 82.	3.25	25.00
A huge, deep flower. almost pure white. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00			
Robert Treat. (Mueller 1923)	Dec. 89.	5.00	
A perfectly formed flower of American Beauty Rose color on long stems, A consistent prize winner. 50c each, 3 for \$1.35			
Rosa Nell. (Broomall 1920)	Dec. 87.	4.50	
Rose color. 45c each, 3 for \$1.25			
Sequoia Gigantea. (Burns 1918)	Dec. 83.	3.25	25.00
Yellow with a suggestion of bronze. Perfectly formed flower and tall grower. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00			
Shelikoff. (Mastick 1918)	Dec. 87.	3.75	30.00
A large crimson. Certificate of Merit Storrs 1920. 35c each, 3 for \$1.00			
The Eagle. (Burns 1918)	Hy. Cac. 76.	2.75	18.00
Clear sulphur-yellow. 25c each, 3 for 60c			
Washington City. (Broomall 1918)	Hy. Cac. 86.	2.00	15.00
Large, pure white, star-like flowers. 20c each, 3 for 50c			
William Slocombe. (Slocombe 1919)	Dec. 87.	3.00	20.00
Pale yellow. Certificate of Merit Storrs 1921. 30c each, 3 for 85c			
Wizard of Oz. (Doolittle 1920)	Dec. 87.	7.50	60.00
A huge flower of amber pink. Sweepstakes Medal, Short Hills, N. J., and A. D. S. medal. Many other prizes. 75c each, 3 for \$2.15			

TERMS. A reasonable amount of credit is extended to those dealers who are known to me; otherwise I ask for cash with the order or satisfactory references. If parcel post shipment is desired, please remit a sufficient amount to cover the charges, figuring about one-half pound per tuber. If you send too much the surplus amount will be refunded.

GUARANTEE. Every tuber sent out is positively guaranteed to be healthy, in good growing condition and true to name. This is a "money-back" guarantee,—and no argument about it. If you find anything wrong tell me about it, and your word will be final in the matter.

The quality of the stock offered in this list is strictly of the highest grade; field-grown from tubers, no unnatural forcing, all stunted plants carefully culled, divisions of good size and showing at least one live eye. The varieties are all comparatively recent introductions and are scored in Prof. Norton's "Dahlia Ratings," with one exception, above the 80 mark; most of them from 85 to 90.

Just a word or two in a personal way: for fifteen years I have been actively connected with the dahlia game,—office work, field work, selling and exhibiting—ten years with J. K. Alexander of East Bridgewater, Mass., the Dahlia King, and five years with his son, J. Herbert Alexander of Middleboro, Mass. I feel that I can reasonably claim a fair working knowledge of the Dahlia in all its phases.